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ROUTINE

Biological Samples (Urine, feces, etc.)	574
Water Samples (Potable, effluents, etc.)	304
Ecological Samples (Milk, animal, veg.)	29
Air Dusts (Carbon Cart. Filters, etc.)	351
Mill Samples (Air Dusts, effluents, etc.)	12
Miscellaneous	16
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RESEARCH

A procedure is being developed for the determination of thorium, radium, polonium, bismuth and lead in river waters, mill effluents and mill tailings. A method for determining stable chromium in urine has been developed to check the chromium uptake in NRF personnel from potable water.

Continued study to develop a method for quantitative determination of radionuclides in samples of variable geometrical configuration and nonuniform activity distribution by scintillation spectrometry. Count rate was found to be relatively independent of activity distribution when the sample was rotated at a constant rate and scanned simultaneously during counting period.

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Received and checked out a large solid state detector. The whole-body counter was standardized for counting uranium in the lungs.

WHOLE-BODY COUNTING FACILITIES

One hundred and twenty-five total counts were made on 116 individuals as follows: 75 routine, 16 termination, 12 nationwide study, and 22 others.